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SUBJECT: RESETTLEMENT OF REFUGEES FROM INDOCHINA

REF: STATE 097854

1. I ASKED ACTING DIRECTOR OF POLITICAL DEPARTMENT
TORNUELL ON MAY 13 IF GOF HAD REACHED DECISION ON
ACCEPTING REFUGEES FROM INDOCHINA. TORNUELL REPLIED
THAT THIS QUESTION WOULD HAVE TO BE CONSIDERED BY
FOREIGN AFFAIRS GROUP OF CABINET AND THAT THIS GROUP
HAD NOT MET SINCE AMBASSADOR RAISED QUESTION WITH MFA
SECGEN TUOVINEN SOME TEN DAYS AGO. TORNUELL DID NOT
KNOW WHEN THIS GROUP WOULD MEET NEXT.

2. TORNUELL STATED THAT FINLAND WAS NOT A TRADITIONAL
RECEIVER OF REFUGEES FROM OTHER COUNTRIES AND HE
BELIEVED FINLAND WOULD PREFER TO GIVE FINANCIAL
AID TOWARDS RESETTLEMENT OF REFUGEES IN THIRD
COUNTRIES RATHER THAN ACCEPT ANY REFUGEES THEMSELVES.

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HE SAID GOF HAD RECEIVED APPEAL FROM UNHCR ON MATTER.

3. I TOLD TORNUDD THAT WHILE FINLAND WAS INDEED NOT
AN IMPORTER OF LABOR, NOR TRADITIONAL RECEIVER OF
REFUGEES, FINLAND HAD ACCEPTED BETWEEN 100 AND 200
REFUGEES FROM CHILE. FINNISH ACCEPTANCE OF EVEN A
SMALL NUMBER OF REFUGEES FROM INDOCHINA WOULD SHOW
THAT FINLAND IS MOVED BY HUMANITARIAN, AND NOT JUST
POLITICAL, FACTORS.
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